



How does the Telephone Preference Scheme Affect Charities?

From June 25 2004 companies (which includes limited companies, partnerships and public bodies such as schools) are entitled to register with the Telephone Preference Service (TPS)

Registering with this service means that an organisation does not wish to receive unsolicited marketing calls from companies.

What does my organisation have to do to comply with the new regulations?

If you wish to make promotional or marketing calls to companies, you must check your list of numbers with the Telephone Preference Service register and make sure you do not call any number listed.

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How do I get hold of the TPS register?

The TPS register is available in a variety of formats, depending upon your requirements.

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What is the definition of a telemarketing call?

Such a call would be one where you are promoting your organisation's services or the organisation's aims and ideals.

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Can a charity register with the TPS?

Yes. This would mean that other companies should not make unsolicited marketing telephone calls to your organisation.

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Where can I obtain further guidance?

Further information can be obtained from the [MPS Corporate web site](#).

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